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In re Application of
Okano et al.
Application No. 09/818,351
Filed: March 27 2001
Title: Cable Modem System

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.181 to withdraw the holding of abandonment, filed December 19, 2006.

The petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely submit the issue and publication fee(s), as required by the Notice of Allowance and Fee (s) Due which was mailed August 21, 2006. The Notice of Allowance and Fee (s) Due set a three (3) month statutory period for reply. Extensions of time were not available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). Accordingly, this application became abandoned on November 22, 2006. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on December 20, 2006.

Petitioner contends the Notice of Allowance and Fee (s) Due mailed on August 21, 2006 was not received. Petitioner states a search of the file jacket and docket records confirms the Notice of Allowance was not received. In support of petitioner's contention, a copy of the docket records has been provided.

The Notice of Abandonment is hereby vacated and the holding of abandonment withdrawn

This application is being forwarded to Art Unit 2623 for re-mailing of the Notice of Allowance and the Notice of Allowability to the correspondence address of record. The three month non-extendable time period for reply will be set to run from the mailing date of the new Office Communication.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3215.

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